Canal Kids 2013

Tuesdays 10:00 - 11:30am

Free!

No pre-registration required

Meet at the Cape Cod Canal Visitor Center for these hands-on activities and games. You may be surprised how much fun learning can be!

Are you interested in becoming a Junior Ranger? Join us for 5 or more Canal Kids programs this summer and you'll receive your Junior Ranger patch and certificate!

July 9 – What do Park Rangers do?

Ever wonder what Park Rangers do? Join us to learn about some of the different jobs of a Park Ranger, check out our gear, try on a uniform, practice some Ranger skills and play a game to tie it all together.

July 16 – Water Safety

Playing, boating and swimming on Cape Cod can be a lot of fun. But it also can be very dangerous. Learn how to play it safe with some fun games and activities.

July 23 – The Amazing Life of Trees

We see trees every day, but how much do we really know about them? We'll learn to identify various trees around the Visitor Center and discover some fascinating facts about them.

July 30 - What Floats Your Boat?

Ever wonder how those big ships in Canal can float and not sink? Is it their shape, what they're made of, or maybe the water itself? We'll engage in hands-on activities to find out.

August 6 – Touch Tank of Marine Life

Lobsters, crabs, sea stars and more. Join us for a hands-on experience with live marine critters! Discover the fascinating ways these animals adapt and survive to life's challenges.

August 13 – Animal Adaptations

Animals come in all sorts of shapes, sizes and colors, and behave in many different ways. Join us for games and hands-on activities to discover how some of these features help various animals survive.

August 20 - Exploring Engineering

Do you like to solve problems? Engineers do! Discover what being an engineer really means. And learn to think like an engineer as we solve some fun hands-on challenges.

August 27 – Birds of a Feather

Every year hundreds of species of birds migrate north from their winter nesting grounds in the south. Come experience the hazards and helpers these amazing creatures encounter along their long journey. Also learn how to use binoculars and identify local species.

The Cape Cod Canal Visitor Center is located at 60 Ed Moffitt Drive, Sandwich, MA All programs will be held rain or shine: outside weather permitting; inside the Visitor Center in inclement weather. For more information, call 508.833.9678 or visit www.capecodcanal.us

